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SUBJECT—Testimony for CB 29-2016, CB 30-2016, CB 31-2016, CB 32-2016 and CB 33-2016

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From:

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The proposed legislation will authorize the County to issue bonds to finance certain capital projects as well as re-authorize lapsing bond authorizations. Council Bill 29-2016 will authorize the issuance of \$102,021,000 of General Obligation bonds and re-authorize \$23,082,033 of General Obligation bonds. Council Bill 30-2016 will authorize the issuance of \$33,943,000 of Metropolitan District (water and sewer) bonds and re-authorize \$11,975,992 of bonds. Council Bill 31-2016 will authorize the issuance of \$18,955,000 of Road Excise tax supported bonds and re-authorize \$13,391,180 of bonds. Council Bill 32-2016 will authorize the issuance of \$2,000,000 of School Surcharge supported bonds. Council Bill 33-2016 will authorize a capital lease of \$11,400,000 to finance the acquisition of portable radios and fleet fuel site upgrades. All of the projects included in the proposed legislation are part of the FY 2017 Capital Budget.

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